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FOR DR. BRZEZINSKI ONLY

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QUOTE

S E C R E T DAMASCUS 5074

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FOR THE SECRETARY FROM MURPHY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS)

SUBJ: SECRETARY'S REVISED SCHEDULE

REF: SECTO 8067

1. REVIEWED REVISED SCHEDULE WITH FONMIN KHADDAM NOON  
AUGUST 8. KHADDAM SAID HE WAS CERTAIN THAT ASSAD WOULD  
WISH TO MEET WITH THE SECRETARY. I OUTLINED SECRETARY'S  
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OTHER OBLIGATIONS DURING THE DAY AND ASKED THAT THE DAMASCUS  
MEETING BEGIN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER ARRIVAL. KHADDAM  
SAID THIS WOULD POSE NO DIFFICULTIES.

2. WE WILL ARRANGE BUFFET LUNCHEON FOR 36 FROM THE  
PLANE AT THE RESIDENCE TO BE SERVED BETWEEN NOON AND 1400  
LOCAL. TO WHAT FUNDING DATA SHOULD THIS BE CHARGED?

3. KHADDAM ASKED IF MRS. VANCE WOULD LIKE A SEPARATE SCHEDULE. I THANKED HIM, SAID I WOULD CHECK WITH MRS. VANCE, BUT ADDED I BELIEVED TIME WOULD NOT PERMIT.

4. PLAN ESTABLISH SMALL OFFICE IN EMBASSY FOR IMMEDIATE STAFF IF THIS SATISFACTORY.

5. COMMENT:

I HAVE ASKED THAT CARS CARRYING THOSE PARTICIPATING IN MEETING GO DIRECTLY TO THE PRESIDENCY. KHADDAM MAY OVER-RIDE THIS AND HAVE THAT SMALL GROUP STOP, AS IS CUSTOMARY, AT THE OFFICIAL GUEST HOUSE ADJACENT TO PRESIDENCY UNTIL ASSAD GIVES SIGNAL THAT HE IS IN HIS OFFICE AND READY TO RECEIVE THE SECRETARY. IF THAT OCCURS, ANY DELAY WILL BE MINIMAL.  
MURPHY.  
UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER".

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